

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners:

Robert G. Taub, Chairman;
Mark Acton, Vice Chairman;
Tony Hammond; and
Nanci E. Langley

Competitive Product Prices
GEPS 3 (MC2010-28)
Negotiated Service Agreements

Docket No. CP2016-153

ORDER APPROVING MODIFICATION THREE TO
GEPS 3 NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT AND DENYING AS MOOT MOTION
FOR TEMPORARY RELIEF

(Issued August 28, 2017)

The negotiated service agreement approved in this proceeding (Agreement) is set to expire August 31, 2017.¹ The Postal Service seeks to extend the Agreement pursuant to Modification Three executed by the Postal Service and its contract partner.²

¹ Order No. 3997, Order Approving Modification Two to GEPS 3, July 13, 2017, at 2. See also Order Approving Additional Global Expedited Package Services 3 Negotiated Service Agreement, April 26, 2016, at 5 (Order No. 3261) (approving Agreement with expiration date of April 30, 2017); Order No. 3852, Order Approving Modification to Global Expedited Package Services 3 Negotiated Service Agreement, April 14, 2017, at 2 (extending expiration date to July 31, 2017).

² See Motion of the United States Postal Service for Temporary Relief and Notice of the United States Postal Service of Filing Modification Three to Global Expedited Package Services 3 Negotiated Service Agreement, August 24, 2017 (Motion). The modification is attached to the Motion as Attachment 1 (Modification Three).

Modification Three extends the expiration date of the Agreement until September 30, 2017. Motion at 1.

The Commission finds that the extension will not affect the Agreement's ability to comply with 39 U.S.C. § 3633(a). Extending the Agreement is in the public interest and will not prejudice any person. Consequently, the Commission reaffirms its findings in Order No. 3261 and approves Modification Three. The Agreement, as modified, is authorized to continue through September 30, 2017. Accordingly, the Motion for Temporary Relief is denied as moot.

It is ordered:

1. The Agreement, as modified, is authorized to continue through September 30, 2017.
2. The Postal Service's Motion for Temporary Relief is denied as moot.

By the Commission.

Ruth Ann Abrams
Acting Secretary